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Bastion Street.

The Daily Standard.

Monday, July 1, 1872.

Answers to Inquiries about British Columbia.

EDITOR STANDARD.—You gave, I think, very truthful answers to your correspondents. Since I wrote to you, the accounts of the Hon. Mr. Langevin, (who was sent out to British Columbia by the Dominion Parliament), were published in the Daily Leader, (a paper I take). I was greatly gratified with such accounts—there are a number of people talking of going out with me; a great many more would like to go, only the trip is an expensive one—if the Central (N.) Pacific road was completed it would be much more accessible for Canadians, as the terminus, Olympia, is so near Vancouver Island. Any information that you would think profitable for people intending to go to your country, please give a little space to. I would like to know if the climate is healthy, and if it is not injurious to people troubled with pulmonary diseases. So many people want information. I would also like to know if the Chinese are a quiet kind of people, whether they make good servants, reliable or otherwise. A lady wishes to know if the females make good house servants. Would it pay well to bring out blooded stock and what kind? Any information you would think beneficial please give it. The last number of your paper I got was April 24th; please send them regularly after this date, as I am sending them to the old country. * * * Am the Indians troublesome? Are the Chinese faithful, and to be trusted as servants?

[NOTE.—In response to our correspondent we would say that we have so repeatedly dwelt upon the subject of the climate, soil, natural products, the agricultural, mineral, and marine resources of this Province, that we are at a loss what to say in addition to what has already been repeated over and over again. Suffice it, then, to say that we have an excellent country, with a genial climate, a productive soil, an abundance of room for all who choose to come; and as promising a field for the exercise of honest industry as any other Province in the Dominion has to offer. The climate is variable according to locality, but uniformly healthy. In Victoria and vicinity it is remarkably even in temperature the year through—never unpleasantly warm in the summer nor cold in the winter. On the mainland, in the interior, it more resembles Orieo—being warmer in the summer and colder in the winter than on Vancouver Island. As regards persons troubled with pulmonary complaints, we should not advise any one to come here with the expectation of being benefited by this climate. With ordinary care persons of good health in this country as elsewhere, but the winter season is trying to weak lungs and bronchial affections. The Chinese are a quiet, industrious, inoffensive people. Some of them make excellent house servants, and are remarkably reliable when they are well watched. As for Chinese females doing house-work as servants, we believe they are not "on it," to use a common phrase. They are, in their own estimation, the very salt of the earth, the cream of this mundane creation, and hence have no more an idea of acting the part of scullery-maids or garret-women, than if they were born queens. Thoroughbred stock of any description, we believe, would pay well. An entire horse of the Clydesdale stock, of which there are many in Canada, would be well received and find plenty of employment. We would also venture to say that the importation of some genuine Durham or Devon stock would pay handsomely. Parties intending to settle in British Columbia should bear in mind that only those succeed who labor for success; it is no country for idlers, or for that other class of persons to be found in almost every new country, whose expectations are always great, whose after office, who never tire hanging around the precincts of public departments patiently waiting, like Mc-cawber, for something to turn up. The market is already too well supplied with that class of individuals, and we would certainly discourage any addition to their numbers. But for honest, industrious, frugal men and women, able and not afraid of hard work, we would say here is a wide field for the exercise of their energies with a prospect of sure and certain success. The Indians are not at all troublesome.]

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ONE STEREO CAMERA WITH THREE
Set of Lenses complete.
Apply to **R. J. MAYNARD,**
Johnson street, Victoria, B. C.,
Photographer, jyl 1m

Notice.
THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF
Tiger Engine Company, is postponed until
Tuesday, July 9th, 1872.
By order of the Foreman,
FRANK SYLVESTER, Secretary.
jyl

L. O. O. F.
THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF
Victoria Lodge No. 1, will be held on Wednesday
Evening next, 3rd inst., at 8 o'clock P. M.
By order of the O. E. S.,
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
Recording Secretary.
jyl

To the Electors of Victoria District.

GENTLEMEN:—A Report having been circulated that I intend permanently leaving this Province if Elected to the Commons, I wish distinctly to state that there is not the least truth in any such statement, my intention being to continue a Resident if Elected, or otherwise.

Respectfully your obedient

ROBERT BEAVEN.

VICTORIA, June 30th, 1872. jyl 1m daw

To the Creditors of the Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Company Limited.

ON AND AFTER TUESDAY NEXT, THE
2nd inst., a Dividend of Twenty per cent. will be paid at the Office of the Liquidators, corner of Broad street and Truncheon Alley, to all Creditors of the Company other than Shareholders.
Victoria, June 28th, 1872.
T. H. LONG,
HERBERT G. STON,
Liquidators.

New Advertisements.

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J. P. DAVIES & CO.
WILL SELL BY

PUBLIC AUCTION.

At Salesroom, Wharf Street.

Wednesday, July 3rd

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

ON A LIBERAL CREDIT.

English & American

Men's Boots, Shoes, Bro-

gans, Watertights,

OXONIANS & SLIPPERS

Ladies and Misses Boots,

Balmorals, Spring-heel

Gaiters, Slippers

all styles.

MEN'S, YOUTH'S & BOY'S

Trammelled, Oxford, Alexis & Scotch Ties,

Creole Calf, Foxed, Gipsy and Con-

gress Gaiters,

CARPET & LEATHER SLIPPERS.

Double Sole and half welt calf dress

Prince Albert, Wire Quilt, Cable Sewed

Bevel Edge, Patent Clinch Sewed, Steel

shank, Pump Sole, Oxford and Tap Sole

Grain Boots, single and double Sole Calf

and Kip Brogues.

Ladies', Misses' & Children's

Oil, Goat, Peble, Polish, Black Lasting

Calf, Sewed and Double Sole BAL-

MORALS, Goat, Congress, Lasting,

Calf, Polish Patent Tip, Gipsy, Black

Congress Morocco, Button & Cashmere

Gaiters, Buskins, Shoes and

Anklets,

Lastings, Goat, Cashmere and Carpet

Slippers.

Iron Bound, Folio Saratoga, Monitor,

rests of 4, Traveling and zink Bottom.

AT COMMENCEMENT OF SALE.

A 24 ton Sloop with Sails, Oars and

Anchor, ashie now lies in rear of our

store.

One Blacksmith's Bellows, new.

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jyl J. P. Davies & Co., Auctioneers.

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Of American Custom Made

CLOTHING.

Overalls, Jumpers, Blankets

Handsome Trimmed

Hats and Bonnets,

Variety Under Clothing,

Socks, Hats and Caps, &c.

FINE & HEAVY CLOTHING.

Blue and Black Castor Beaver, Fancy

Cassimere, Silk Mixed, Stripe Cassimere,

Harrison Mixture, Diagonal Cass, Brown

Mixed, Fancy Mixed men's and youth's

Suits.

Boy's Clothing.

Garibaldi's and Cassimere Suits, Es-

quimaux Brown and Blue Castor Beaver

Sack Coats, Sacercher and Brown

Linen Sacks.

HEAVY COTTONADE PANTS,

Double Stitched Denim Overalls and

Jumpers, Extra Heavy Fancy Striped

Cottonade Pants, Men and Boy's Suits

and Dusters, Extra Size Summer Suits,

Men's Heavy Duck Pants and Jumpers.

Pants and Vests.

French, Doe, Custom, Blue, Black

Beaver, Cassimere, Stripe, Molekin,

Esquimaux, Grey-mixed, Harrison,

Brown and Diagonal,

FURNISHING GOODS.

Heavy worsted Stockings, Fine Merino

Half Hose, Cheviot Fancy Shirts, Grey

Flannel Shirts, Shaker Flannel Shirts

and Drawers, Blue Navy Caps, Black and

Drab Hats, Cassimere, Melton and

Embroidered Over Shirts, Woolen Socks

Linen thread, Hoop Skirts, Russia

Leather Satchels, Wool Shirts and

Drawers, Blue, Brown and Fancy Colors

Neck Ties and Bows, Pocket and Pen

Knives, Thread Tides,

Auction Sales Continued

50 Dozen

Handsome Trimmed Hats and Bonnets

The above Sale will take place

at Our Salesroom Wharf st

TUESDAY, JULY 9, 1872.

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

ON A LIBERAL CREDIT TO

THE TRADE.

J. P. DAVIES Auctioneer.

REAL ESTATE

SALE.

First Class

CITY PROPERTY.

BY ORDER OF

Mrs. S. Francis

J. P. DAVIES & CO,

WILL SELL BY

PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT SALESROOM, WHARF ST.

Tuesday, July 16th,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

All that first class Property situate on

Broad Street (between Yates and John-

son) and known on the Official Map of

the city, as Town Lot 161 A, having a

frontage of 60 feet, running back to a

street in the rear of St. Nicholas Hotel

120 feet, together with the improvements

thereon, consisting of the 3 Roomed Cot-

tage, Kitchen, Hall and Shed, Brick

Chimneys, Brick Chimneys and Grates,—

Rented at \$7 per month; and the 4

Roomed 2 Story Residence with Hall,

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Rented at — dollars per month.

The Title to commence with the

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H. Francis, registered on 25th Novem-

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ALSO

Those two full size Town Lots, situate

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Johnson street of 60 feet, thence along

Vancouver street 240 feet, thence along

Pandora street 60 feet, showing a front-

age of 360 feet on three of the principal

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improvements thereon consisting of the

5 Roomed Lathed and Plastered resi-

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Brick Chimneys, Large Veranda, never

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Orchard now covered with choice fruit.

This is one of the best Homesteads

in town, situate in a very desirable and

improving neighborhood.

Part of the purchase can remain on the

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Deeds of purchase at Buyer's Expense.

For further particulars apply to

jyl J. P. DAVIES, Auctioneer.

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J. P. DAVIES & CO

WILL SELL BY

PUBLIC AUCTION

At their Salesroom Wharf St.

Friday, July 19th, 1872,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

On a Liberal Credit.

Marble Top, Walnut, Ma-

hogany and Painted

Chamber Sets of

the Latest

Styles,

ELIZABETHAN & PONEY BEDSTEADS,

MAHOGANY & ROSEWOOD HAIR

SEAT WOOD & CANE

SEAT CHAIRS,

all styles,

Tables, Washstands, Cots, Racks,

Market Baskets, Whatnots, Brackets.

Stoves, Cages, Glass and Silverware,

Mahogany Marble Top Washstands,

Rockers, Fine Engravings, Etc.

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Contractor & Builder,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

VICTORIA, B. C. jyl 2m

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FASHIONABLE CLOTHING

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HAS RECEIVED PER Steamer California, A LARGE AND WELL ASSORTED

Stock of

Gentlemen's Clothing from the Eastern States

Of the Latest Fashion, Consisting of

YOUTH'S CLOTHING,

FINE CASSIMERE SUITS,

BLACK BEAVER PANTS,

FRENCH CASSIMERE PANTS,

BLACK DOESKIN PANTS,

BLACK AND FANCY SILK VELVET VESTS,

CASSIMERE BUSINESS COATS,

SILK VESTS,

FINE FRENCH MERINO SHIRTS AND DRAWERS,

FINE MERINO UNDERSHIRTS,

CRIMean SHIRTS,

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BEST QUALITY DAVIES & JONES' WHITE SHIRTS,

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All of which I offer for sale at a small advance on cost.

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CLOTILDE ROMANO'S.

The Largest and Best Assortment

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LADIES ARE INVITED TO CALL AND

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AND

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Losses Settled with Promptitude and

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Turner & Beeton have been appointed
Sole Agents in British Columbia for
**Champagne Vineyard Pro-
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BOTTLED BY
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 Inch Cylinder "Russell's"
RESHING MACHINE,
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 LAKE REAPER, "Kerby's,"
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 And a Large Variety of
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 Steel, Metals and General Hard-
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